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August 13, 2003

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 44275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING.

Rodessa Zone, Reservoir C, SIBLEY FIELD, Webster
Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

SUNLAND PRODUCTION CO., INC. ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Rodessa Zone, Reservoir C, in the Sibley Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Holley No. 3 Well as an additional alternate unit well for ROD RC SUA at the location shown on the attached plat, or at any other location within the unit that would comply with the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 148-E-5, effective October 28, 1997.
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Rodessa Zone, Reservoir C, underlying ROD RC SUA which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within the unit.
3. To permit the Operator of ROD RC SUA to produce the allowable assigned to the unit from either the unit well, any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the Operator.
4. To discuss such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

The Rodessa Zone, Reservoir C, in Sibley Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 148-E-7, effective July 9, 1998.

Pertinent data concerning this application is available for inspection at the offices of Mr. Joe B. Adams, 9141 Interline Avenue, Suite 3A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Mr. Adams at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

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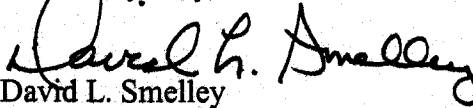
As provided by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore, no such notice has been issued.

Pursuant to the aforesaid Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties, as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing and the enclosed plat at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Sibley Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

A check payable to the Office of Conservation and covering the application fee is enclosed.

Yours very truly,

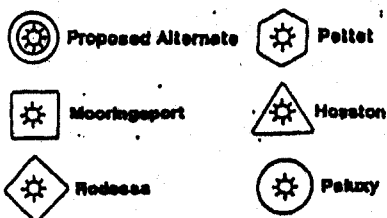

David L. Smelley

-- Attorney for Sunland Production Co., Inc.

DLS:dp
Enclosures

cc: Mr. Jim Broussard (w/encls.)
Mr. Don Easterwood (w/encls.)
Mr. Joe Adams (w/encls.)
Interested Owners, Represented
Parties and Interested Parties (w/plat only)

LEGEND



0' 500' 1000' 1500'

T18N-R9W

23

El Paso
Burson
2-Alt.

8890'

El Paso
Cole
1-Alt.
9100'

Delta
Burson
6795'

Arkla
Warsham
8612'

SWNP
Frazier
1-Alt.

Nelson
Kennon
1-Alt.

Nelson
McKinney
1-Alt.
9100'

El Paso
Kennon
1-Alt.

Nelson
Warsham
1-Alt.
9200'

El Paso
Smith
1-Alt.
9100'

Nelson
Coleman
11,100'

Sunland
Smith
Alt.
4883'

Sunland
Connell
2-Alt.
4945'

El Paso
Burson-Mears
2-Alt.
11407'

ROD RC SUB
240.351 Acres

El Paso
Burson-Mears A'
1-Alt.
9092'

El Paso
Connell
1-A
9750'

El Paso
Connell
A-3
9107'

Sunland
Connell
3
5973'

ROD RC SUB A
240.351 Acres

Sunland
Holley
2
10,787'

El Paso
Holley
1-Alt.
9100'

El Paso
Connell
1-Alt.
9110'

El Paso
Holley
B-1
9100'

El Paso
Glass
2-Alt.
10,100'

El Paso
Crichton
B-1
8726'

Atlantic
Connell
5853'

Kelley
Mears
8972'

Faulkner
Cook
8995'

Ray
Burson
3789'

Kelley
Stewart
1-Alt. 35'
8896'

Kelley
Seamsters
1-Alt.
9070'

Atlantic
Roberts
5801'

35

DOCKET NO

EXHIBIT NO 1

SUNLAND PRODUCTION CO., INC.
PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
AT A LEGAL LOCATION

ROD RC SUB A; HOLLEY #3-ALT

SIBLEY FIELD
WEBSTER PH, LA.

0 1000' 2000'